

AYER SUSPENSION SPLITS THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Two Members Think Charges
Against Police Surgeon Are
Not Serious

ACTION NOT CRIMINAL,
SAYS COUNTY ATTORNEY

Mayor Lane Declares Physician
Will Not Be Returned To
His Position

According to Supervisor Logan the charges of misconduct in office brought against Dr. R. G. Ayer, police surgeon, who was suspended on Friday by Mayor Lane, will be thoroughly ventilated by the health committee of the board of supervisors. The matter will be brought up at a meeting of the board to be held on Tuesday, it was intimated yesterday, and some line of action decided upon at that time.

That the board is divided as to the charges of misconduct against Dr. Ayer seems to be indicated by the attitude of several of its members. It is understood that both Larsen and Logan of the board do not look upon the charges as serious.

Supervisor Logan stated yesterday that he believed the entire matter should be ventilated by the supervisors and a thorough investigation made of the charges. He declined to commit himself as to the legality of the practice of accepting fees from emergency hospital patients sent by the city.

Supervisor Larsen, it is understood, does not see any particular crime in the practice but is willing to have the entire matter investigated and to abide by the decision of the board.

City Attorney A. M. Brown, when asked about the matter yesterday, declared that it had all come so suddenly that he had not had time to look into the matter.

Not Criminal, Says Brown
"You know as much about it as I do," he said. "As the matter now stands I do not see anything criminal about the affair. Dr. Ayer may have overstepped his authority and to use the police as messengers may have been in bad taste. But the charges so far brought against Dr. Ayer are in no sense criminal and I do not believe the matter will be brought to the attention of the grand jury. The matter probably will be thrashed out by the supervisors."

Edward K. Woodward, private secretary to Mayor Lane, who conducted the investigation that led to the mayor suspending Dr. Ayer, stated Friday that the matter was first brought to his attention by City Attorney Brown several days ago and that Mr. Brown spoke to him about it a second time Friday morning, when he immediately conferred with Mayor Lane and then started out on his investigation.

George W. Smith, president of the Queen's Hospital, stated last night that he had made some investigations concerning the charges brought against Dr. Ayer but would not state whether or not Dr. Ayer was within his rights in the matter. He stated that the regular procedure for the acceptance of patients to the hospital was for someone to sign a card at the office guaranteeing the bill. In the case of Peter Nagle, he said, the card had been signed giving the firm of Hind Rolph & Co. as the guarantors for the bill. He also stated that it was against the rules of the institution for the physician in charge to receive fees for patients.

Mayor Lane, however, is still firm in the belief that Dr. Ayer is not the proper person to have in charge of the police work and was emphatic yesterday in his statement that Dr. Ayer would not be returned to his position.

"From my investigation," said Mayor Lane, "I am certain that Dr. Ayer acted wrongly in accepting pay from patients who passed through the emergency hospital. The supervisors probably will take up the matter at the meeting on Tuesday evening and no doubt will recommend that the health committee make a thorough investigation of the charges."

In commenting on the charges brought against him Dr. Ayer positively denied most of the allegations although admitting the fact that he had treated Peter Nagle as a private case.

"The man had the money to pay for professional attention," said Dr. Ayer yesterday. "He asked me to take the case. There is no law to forbid me from doing so. If no one slight my official duty I have no money, he could not go to the hospital as a county charge. I cared for him and presented a reasonable bill which he O. K. I collected my money and thought no more about it."

Dr. Ayer further charges that the entire matter is a conspiracy to oust him from office and that it is only a recurrence of a former difference between him and Dr. J. T. Wayson, who has been placed in the office of police surgeon during the suspension of Dr. Ayer.

PAIR OF PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM JAIL

Slip Away From Gang At Work
On Site of New County
Penitentiary

Charles Osh and Kuanui, two Hawaiians, escaped from the gang with which they were working on the site of the new penitentiary, Puuhale Street, early yesterday morning, and late last night were still at liberty.

The getaway was effected between a quarter and half past seven o'clock and as soon as High Sheriff Jarrett was notified of the fact he sent out men on the trail of the runaways.

Between sixty and seventy men constitute the gang working on the new penitentiary, and the men are in charge of four huns. Surrounding the site is a thick growth of kiawe trees, and it is a comparatively easy thing for a prisoner to slip into the shelter of the trees and get away without being observed.

Osh has a long jail record. He was out on parole until recently, when he committed burglary and was sentenced to another year in jail, being sent back January 13.

Kuanui was serving a term of not less than two years imprisonment, commencing December 27 last year. While employed as a messenger in Mayor Lane's office he committed a number of thefts from houses to which he was sent on errands by the mayor.

When Marshal J. J. Smiddy broke into a house at Wahiawa on Thursday afternoon, where it was suspected opium was being smoked, more than a score of Chinches fled from the place, making their exit from two doors in the rear of the building. Many of them dived head-first through the windows of the building.

As a result of the raid, opium and yen shee valued at \$400 was confiscated and Ah Pang, a Chinese, was placed under arrest. The raid was arranged following complaints of disorder in the settlement known as "Bloodtown." Ah Pang, another Chinese, supposed to know something about the "smoking" at the resort has been asked to report to the marshal.

Ah Pang was released yesterday afternoon on \$500 bond.

MARSHAL MAKES BIG HAUL OF POPPY DRUG

Opium and Yen Shee Seized in
Wahiawa Raid

NEW YORK, January 8.—The Associated Press, through Melville E. Stone, secretary and general manager, applied today to Judge A. N. Hand, of the federal district court, for an order permanently restraining the International News Service, which is controlled by William R. Hearst, from using in any way news gathered by the Associated Press for the sole use of its members.

In his affidavit filed with the court Mr. Stone called attention to the fact that the government of Great Britain, France and Canada had expelled the International News Service and since its expulsion, he alleged, it had been helping itself to news gathered by the plaintiff, sometimes at an expense as high as a dollar a word.

Mr. Stone made the charge that the International News Service had obtained some of the Associated Press news by the "bribery of employees and through other wrongful and illegal methods." The news so obtained, the affidavit said, was delivered to newspapers that were not members of the Associated Press at a price less than it cost to gather it, thus inflicting financial injury on the plaintiff.

BILLY SUNDAY READY
TO INVADE NEW YORK
NEW YORK, January 6.—New York is getting ready for Billy Sunday, who will begin a three months' campaign here on Palm Sunday, April 1. For weeks past workers have been organizing Manhattan, the Bronx and Richmond. The Long Island boroughs do not fall under the scope of the campaign.

The real opening of the campaign comes on Sunday, January 14, which has been entitled "Trail-Hitters' Day." Six hundred of those who accepted Christianity at the meetings in Philadelphia, Trenton and Syracuse will invade New York on that day and two hundred pulpits have been offered to them to tell of the work that has been done elsewhere.

CLEVELAND, January 9.—James R. Garfield, member of former President Roosevelt's cabinet and son of a former President, reported to the Cleveland police today that his home in Mentor, a suburb, had been robbed recently of \$10,000 in jewels. Garfield says the jewels disappeared during the absence of the family between December 1 and December 20.

The lost jewels include a pair of star-shaped ear-pendants set with diamonds, a brooch set with onyx, pearls and diamonds, a gold jeweled pendant, numerous earrings set with diamonds, and other jewels.

BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS SHOWING MARKED DECREASE IN TERRITORY

Two and eighty-seven hundredths of the animals examined for tuberculosis by the division of animal industry during 1916, were tubercular, it is stated in the report of Victor A. Norgaard, territorial veterinarian, made to the board of commissioners of agriculture and forestry. This was a decrease from 1915.

Mr. Norgaard's report follows:

Bovine Tuberculosis Control
"The final result of the year's work shows that 5151 dairy animals were tested, of which number 148 head, or 2.87 per cent, were found to be affected with tuberculosis. All these animals were removed from the dairies and the greater majority destroyed under the direct supervision of this office.

"As compared to the previous year, 1915, when the percentage of reactors was 3.08, the decrease in prevalence is noticeable and would undoubtedly have been much more so had this year's test included the more than two thousand head of cattle belonging to the R. R. ranches, which last year showed but a small fraction of one per cent of reactors.

"On the island of Hawaii 1836 head were tested with forty-four reactors, or 2.39 per cent. The final figures from Maui and Kauai have not yet come to hand.

Importation of Stock
"During 1916 the importations of live stock have fallen far below those of 1915. The number of head, for instance, fell from 2042 to only fifty-three head, while mules fell from 567 to 432. Poultry importations only increased decidedly from 1142 crates in 1915 to over 1800 during this year, and still it is believed that the Territory produced far more poultry during 1916 than was ever the case before, as a national poultry raising on a large scale has begun to develop in at least three of the principal islands.

Diseases of Live Stock
"No outbreaks were reported during December. So far as the past year is concerned the record is unprecedented in so far as absence of infectious and contagious diseases is concerned. Diseases of hogs especially have decreased; the influenza and spinal meningitis in horses and mules also have occurred less frequently than hitherto.

"The subjects above referred to are fully discussed in the 1915-1916 report of the preparation of which has been in progress during the month and will be ready for the printer as soon as all the deputies are heard from.

Quarantine Station
"In Honolulu as well as in Hilo the quarantine stations have repeatedly been almost totally inundated by the heavy rains, but although many animals happened to be at both stations no losses directly due to this condition occurred.

"It has been impossible however, to begin the work on the new dog kennels and it will undoubtedly be wise not to attempt it until the weather moderates definitely.

Superintendent's Report
The report of C. S. Judd, superintendent of forestry and executive officer of the board, follows, in part:

"From December 12 to 16, I was on the island of Kauai with Land Commissioner Rivenburgh and Superintendent of Hydrography Larsson making, in conjunction with the chamber of commerce of Kauai, an examination of government forest reserve lands in the region of the head of Waimea Canyon, looking particularly for suitable summer camp sites.

"I found the climate, scenery, and charm of the region more delightful than ever and also a variety of situations which will offer, when the land reverts to the Territory, at the expiration of the present leases, suitable camping places for those who desire to not the more or less permanent camps with the idea of returning each summer, for those who merely wish to camp for a week or so in tents, and for those who are interested only in the scenery of the canyon and care to spend more than one night. By lease expiration some of the land will revert to the government on December 27 of this year and the rest not until June 1, 1920. Before then a plan for the issuing of camping permits in a systematic manner and for their administration on the ground by a forest ranger will be worked out. It is proposed also to add more land to the present reserve in this region so as to include the extensive forest and more camp sites in the region of Puukapele on the edge of Waimea Canyon.

Forest Planting
"The four men have continued tree planting under my personal supervision on the Maunaloa Ranger Station, Oahu, and have to date set out by various spacing over fifty different kinds of mostly timber trees in various quantities. These have been accurately marked with redwood posts and labeled so that there will be no possibility of losing their identity.

"On the Keolu Forest Reserve, Kauai, Ranger Kaia D. Lovell has continued tree planting on the Kamalomalae flats and to date has planted out a total of 9270 trees consisting of silk oak, swamp mahogany, lemongum and Japanese cedar.

"This recent planting on government forest reserve lands is in addition to that which has been done in Makiki on the Honolulu Watershed Forest Reserve for the past three years and it is planned to extend it to various forest reserves as opportunity and means are presented.

Makiki Squatters
"The free permits to the native Hawaiians granting them the privilege to reside in lower Makiki Valley in the Honolulu Watershed Forest Reserve were renewed for the year 1917."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). Druggists refund money if fails to cure. The signature of W. GROVE is on each box. Manufactured by the PARIS MEDICINE CO. St. Louis, U. S. A.

RESERVIST COMMISSIONED
(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, January 27.—John J. McCarthy, chief engineer of the American Telegraph and Telephone Company, was yesterday appointed to the rank of major in the signal officers reserve by President Wilson.

PRINGLE IMPORTS FOUR PRIZE PIGS

Litter of Fine Duroc-Jerseys Will
Be Delivered To Link
McCandless

The arrival on the steamship Hiloian a few days ago of a litter of fine Duroc-Jersey pigs, consigned to C. D. Pringle, by whom they are to be delivered to L. L. McCandless, marked another step in the gradual process of placing Hawaii in the forefront of the livestock industry.

Almost every freight steamer arriving at Honolulu from the mainland brings an assortment of fine, blooded animals for breeding purposes. Bulls, cows, horses, hogs, and poultry of the best strains are among the recent arrivals. The shipment received by Mr. Pringle is said to be one of the finest lots of fancy hogs ever brought to the islands.

The litter is said by Pringle to be from the highest grade stock in United States, of the highest priced breed of swine in the world. The pigs are valued at \$500 a pair.

One pair was sired by Volunteer of Idlewild, Number 53693-A, Gilt by Grand Gano. Volunteer of Idlewild is a massive boar that bids fair to be a giant in the pig kingdom. He is said to be the greatest Colonel bred boar living. His dam is Lady Wonder Number 183, purchased by Ernest Carlson in Iowa at Brownings' December sale for \$1100.

The other pair was sired by the famous Sam Golden Model Again, Number 158851 and are from a litter of world famous pigs. They are from a strain of Duroc-Jerseys celebrated for size and weight, which at the age of sixteen months are said to stand forty inches high and weigh a thousand pounds.

SERUM TREATMENT CURE FOR SOREHEAD

Sorehead is the bane of chicken raisers in Hawaii and has been the cause of many who started enthusiastically to raise chickens giving up in disgust. It is even worse than the mumps and hitherto has been considered practically incurable. But a bulletin issued the past week by the Hawaii experiment station extends hope to the poultry raisers. The bulletin says:

"For years the poultry industry of the islands has been greatly handicapped by the prevalence of sorehead which causes a great mortality among most flocks of young chickens. The serum treatment for this disease devised by Hadley and Beach of the Wisconsin experiment station was found to give good results under island conditions and its further utilization by all growers of chickens is recommended. The following is a digest of a letter recently received from Mr. H. F. Fisher of Olan, Hawaii, giving his favorable experience with the serum treatment:

"During October 1915, chicken pox, more commonly known locally as 'sore head' appeared in my flock of Single Combed Black Minorca pullets. These birds had been imported at the age of four months. The ocean trip and lack of their accustomed care en route, no doubt constituted the principal cause of the lack of vigor and vitality in these fowls at the time. The disease, after its first appearance, spread rapidly and young birds after the severe trip from the Coast, were unable to withstand the attack of sore-head, and the result was a heavy mortality.

"A serum made from scabs taken from infected birds was made by Dr. Victor Norgaard, veterinarian of the territorial board of agriculture and forestry at Honolulu, and two injections of one cubic centimeter each were given by Dr. Norgaard, with the following results:

"Scabs were removed and surfaces painted with tincture of iodine. One c. c. was injected beneath the skin under the thigh. The skin was first cleansed with cotton saturated with a disinfectant solution. After five days a second injection of one c. c. was given and even at this early date a remarkable improvement was noted. In fact, five days after the first injection, the disease was checked in my flock and ten days after the second injection the only evidence of sorehead was healthy scars on birds that were badly infected fifteen days previous. Pulletts commenced laying in December, a period of thirty days after treatment. My trap nest records show that fowls lay from twenty-one to twenty-three eggs per month and birds that were infected.

"The mortality before serum treatment was great and after treatment practically nothing. The few treated fowls that did die were beyond help when treated.

"At this writing the entire flock is in good healthy condition and laying well."

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More than thirty representatives of Japanese schools in other islands are expected to be present at the meeting. The by-laws and rules of the association will be formulated and various important matters will be discussed in the meeting.

Honolulu Wholesale Produce Market

ISSUED BY THE TERRITORIAL MARKETING DIVISION January 25, 1917.

Wholesale Only. MARKETING DIVISION
Island butter, lb. cartons . . . 35 to 40
Eggs, select, doz. 45 to 50
Eggs, No. 1, doz. 40 to 45
Eggs, Duck, doz. 35 to 40
Young rooster, 33 to 40
Limes, doz. 5.50 to 6.00

VEGETABLE AND PRODUCE
Beans, string, green, lb. 36 to 38
Beans, string, wax, lb. 38 to 40
Beans, Lima, in pod, lb. 34 to 36
Beans, Maui red, cwt. 6.00
Beans, Calico, cwt. 6.00
Beans, sm. white, cwt. 9.00
Peas, dry Island, cwt. 6.00 to 7.00
Beets, doz. bunches 30
Carrots, doz. bunches 40
Cabbage, cwt. 2.00 to 2.50
Corn, sweet, 100 ears 2.00 to 3.00
Corn, Haw., sm. yellow 48.00 to 50.00
Corn, Haw., lg. yellow 45.00 to 48.00
Rice, Jap. seed, cwt. 4.50

FRUIT
Bananas, Chinese, bunch 20 to 30
Bananas, Cooking, bunch 1.00 to 1.25
Figs, 100 1.00
Grapes, Isabella, lb.08
Limes, 100 75 to 1.00

LIVESTOCK
Cattle and sheep are not bought at live weight. They are slaughtered and Hogs, 150 lbs. and over, lb. 11 paid for on a dressed weight basis.

HIDES, WET SALTED
Steer, No. 1, lb. 19 1/2
Steer, No. 2, lb. 18
Steer, hair slip 15

DRESSED MEATS
Beef, lb. 11 to 13
Veal, lb. 12 to 13
Mutton, lb. 14 to 15
Pork, lb. 15 to 16

FEED
The following are quotations on feed, f. o. b. Honolulu:
Corn, sm. yel. ton. (none in market)
Corn, lg. yel. ton. 56.00
Corn, cracked, ton 58.00
Bran, ton 38.00
Barley, ton 53.00 to 54.00
Scratch food, ton 64.00 to 65.00

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER

In the letter of last week, it was announced that all but two consignors had been paid in full for produce sold previous to January 1. This week, we are able to announce that these two consignors have been paid. This had been made possible by funds privately advanced for the purpose.

Already a great many of the old consignors who had stopped making shipments because of the delay in getting their money are now beginning to make shipments, which goes to prove that a cash working fund to pay consignors is necessary in order to make the division of the greatest help to producers.

The division is now in a position to handle larger quantities of dressed meats and live stock than ever before, as the retail department trade is increasing. Poultry, corn and beans are bringing very good prices, due to their scarcity in the market at present, and all holders of these products would do well to sell now.

The division again invites consignors or customers to offer constructive criticism regarding the conduct of the market. A special invitation is extended to all citizens of the Territory to call at the division and see, first hand, under what conditions the work is now being carried on.

The condition of the egg market is very bad at the present time, due to the fact that large consumers, such as boarding houses and restaurants, will not take the island eggs in preference to eggs from other sources. The division is having great difficulty getting eggs sold, owing to this fact. These consumers complain that when eggs are scarce the producers do not send them to the division, where they can get them at the market price, but sell them to fancy trade. Some of these consumers say that they would rather deal with handlers of imported eggs who can look after their trade all the year round. Mr. Egg Producer, think this over.

A. T. LONGLEY,
Marketing Supt.

Record of Shipments Received At Honolulu From Other Islands

Week Ending January 26
Hawaii Maui Molokai Total
Cattle, heads 174 3 177
Calves, heads 1 53 54
Pigs, heads 40 0 40
Pigs, crates 3 2 5
Beef, quarters 16 0 16
Hides 44 0 44
Corn, sacks 229 0 229
Potatoes, sacks 11 11
Peas, sacks 33 33
Beans, sacks 53 53
Awa, bags 120 0 120
Miscellaneous fruits and vegetables, cases 66 0 66

SWISS READY FOR THE FIRST INVADER

PARIS, January 9.—The Matin publishes an interview with General Wille, commander-in-chief of the Swiss army, regarding rumors of a threatened violation of Swiss neutrality by Germany.

General Wille said:

"It goes without saying that when the rumors of an impending German offensive across Swiss territory were circulated we felt some anxiety. We believe now the anxiety was unjustified. According to information furnished our general staff, the Germans do not harbor the intention of advancing their troops across Swiss territory to fall on the flank of the French and Italians.

"However, you may be certain that in case our neutrality were violated by any one of the belligerents, whoever he might be, the Swiss army would do its duty to the end without wavering and in strict cooperation with the adversities of its enemies, who would automatically become our allies. The entire Swiss army is firmly resolved to defend the national honor against whoever attacks it."

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GREAT MYSTERY OF THE VOLCANO LIES IN ISLANDS

Kilauea Presents Features Not
Seen Since Early Eighties,
Says L. A. Thurston

LAKE OF FIRE ONE OF
UNENDING PULSATION

Level of Lava Is Constantly Rising
With Apparent Acceleration of Force

"Everyone who can should go to Kilauea, and in justice to himself and to the volcano, he should remain over one steamer at least," said L. A. Thurston, who arrived from Hilo yesterday. "I have observed the volcano for thirty-seven years, and while I have seen more intense activity and the pit full and running over, never have I seen so much of interest as to both size and activity. There are several features not seen at Kilauea since the early '80's."

"Especially remarkable among these are the peaks and islands. One island now is sixty-five feet above the level of the lava lake and is several hundred feet long, and another, which came up the first of October, is fifty feet high and about one hundred feet square.

"This smaller island is joined to the shore of the lake by an isthmus six to eight feet high. Between these two rock masses the lava is rising and is pouring out around both, giving the lake roughly the form of a great letter 'W.'"

The state of the lake now is one of unending pulsation, Mr. Thurston said. There are rises or falls of three to six feet within twenty minutes, but the gains overbalance the losses, so that he level constantly is rising, apparently with an acceleration of force. During the fifteen days ended January 19, the rain was forty feet; in the week just closed Mr. Thurston believed the gain could be more, although he had not obtained the figures of Prof. T. A. Jaggar, the observer.

Islands Are Profound Secret
To students of the volcano the behavior of the two rock masses is of extreme interest. They arose from the bottom of the lake, perhaps from the old bed, far beneath the lava. During the fifteen days ended January 19, the rain was forty feet; in the week just closed Mr. Thurston believed the gain could be more, although he had not obtained the figures of Prof. T. A. Jaggar, the observer.

In these masses, usually known as the floating islands, one of the profound secrets of the volcano. They are inexplicable, although there are theories to account for them: That they are not truly floating, but are, instead, poised on pinnacles, which rest upon the bed of the lake; that Mr. Thurston said, on the other hand, that he had seen debris fall into the pit, particularly in the great breakdown of 1894, when a mass of lava, after disappearing altogether, arose with lava cascading from it, and floated to the side. Another attempt to explain the islands is that they are ballooned up by gas beneath.

Crags Rise Forty Feet
About one-fourth of the rim of the fire lake is composed of the old bed of the main pit, which has been raised higher and higher in front and decreased in the back until the crags rise forty feet above the fluid lava, and present, on the other side, a steep slope of forty-five degrees. The action of elevation, if continued, would send these portions of the black ledge on edge.

For the remainder of the circumference of the lake, spatter ramparts stand from six to fifteen feet high. They are being built by constant sections from mountains on the sides. Now and then the lake will break down these retaining walls and will overflow into the main pit, filling the whole to its level; and then immediately will begin building new ramparts, which again are broken down. These walls overhang the lake in the striking manner shown in old paintings.

Professor Jaggar climbed to the top of the rampart and got temperatures from a boiling fountain, which gave him much the same data as that obtained by Perret six years ago, Mr. Thurston said.

Two days after Mr. Jaggar was there fifty feet of the rampart at the very top where he had climbed, fell into the lake, which with a great rush poured through the gap, inundating great masses within few seconds. A woman visitor received a bad fright a few days ago when a huge fountain burst out and sent a small drop of lava fully ten feet, striking her dress. She was fifty feet above the lake then.

Woodward yesterday declared that the question probably would have to be decided by the attorney general.

STATUS OF FILIPINOS TROUBLING WOODWARD

Ban On Employment Making Pill-
kia For Department

Wilbur C. Woodward, acting superintendent of public works, is in receipt of many letters from various parts of the islands regarding the status of Filipinos employed on public work which is being done under contract.

Following the decision of Federal Judge Horace Vaughan that Filipinos cannot become citizens and a decision by the city attorney's office that Filipinos cannot be employed on city work, the status of Filipinos has become a problem in other places where in many cases only Filipino labor is available.

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**FARM AND LOAN ACT
WOULD HELP TERRITORY**
In the belief that a contented and prosperous rural population would be a distinct asset to the Territory, Charles H. Cooke, yesterday stated that he was in favor of the proposed farm and loan act of Hawaii, which probably will come up for consideration at the coming session of the legislature.

He stated, however, that the matter should be carefully considered and that it should be in no way conflict with the organic act. He also stated that he thought the funds should be safeguarded so as to make them an attractive investment.

CURE THAT COUGH.
When you have a troublesome cough, it does not mean that you have consumption or that you are going to have it, but it does mean that your lungs are threatened, and it is just as well to be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy before it is too late. For sale by all dealers. H. B. Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.

SAS BY JULY PROMISED HILO
Hilo will have gas by July, and in any required quantity by September, according to the Hawaii Herald. Ground probably will be broken within thirty days. One shipment of pipe has left Los Angeles. E. J. Smith is in charge of the work. The Engineer, J. M. Berkeley, will sail from Los Angeles for Hilo February 21.

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